

following Errors in the said order humbly referring themselves to this Assembly to determine finally thereof.

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1 Yo<sup>r</sup> petitioners humbly conceive the Lawe to be that land cannot be aliened but vnder hand and Seale.

2<sup>ly</sup> That if a Souldier make a nuncupitive will yo<sup>r</sup> pet<sup>rs</sup> humbly conceives the Lawe to be. he can only soe dispose of his personall estate, and cannot disinheritt and heire at lawe by such will especially being Lamely proved by one Wittnes.

3<sup>ly</sup> Yo<sup>r</sup> petitioners humbly conceive the Lawe to be that the words of some parte of the will being of force those that Concerne yo<sup>r</sup> pet<sup>rs</sup> cannot be idle and of none effect but to be stronglyest taken ag<sup>t</sup> the Testator. All which yo<sup>r</sup> petitioners craue yo<sup>r</sup> Honors to take into serious consideracōns humbly submitting themselues to yo<sup>r</sup> hono<sup>rs</sup> determinacōns hereof And they as in duty bound shall pray &c. p. 127

Vpon the aforesaid peticōn It is Ordered that Thomas Taylor be summoned to appeare at this Assembly to make answere to the said peticōn. And that Warr<sup>t</sup> issue to the Sherriffe of Calvert County to Sumon him.

Then came from the Lower howse An Acte Entituled an Acte concerning those Serv<sup>ts</sup> that haue Bastards.

An Acte for the Publicacōn of marryages and another called an Interpretacōn or Explanacōn of the Acte lymiting Servants tymes made the last Assembly 1661 And another Acte entituled an Acte concerning proceedings att Lawe which being read over and amended in this howse The lower howse was sent for to a Conference touching the Amendm<sup>ts</sup> who accordingly came.

At which Conference was read first the Acte concerning Servants that haue Bastards with Amendm<sup>ts</sup> with which the Lower howse rested satisfiye. After that was read the Acte for Publicacōn of marryages which the lower howse desired to haue written fayre with the Amendm<sup>ts</sup> of the Vpper howse and then to be sent to them, After that the Explanacōn of the Acte for Servants tymes which they likewise desired to haue fayre written and sent to them againe

The Acte concerning the proceedings att Lawe after long debate was remitted whilst Wednesday morning to a further debate.

Then was brought an Acte for appoynting of Sherriffes which was referred till to morrow morning

The howse is adjourned till  
nine of the Clocke to morrow  
morning